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Correspondence solicited on all matters of local interest, or of interest to the people of Southwest Texas. Each communication must be accompanied by the name of its author, not for publication (unless so directed) but as a guarantee of good faith, and when by request fictitious signatures appear to such communications, the right is reserved to disclose the name of the writer should a necessity arise for such disclosure.

Subscribers who do not receive their papers regularly are specially requested to notify this office by letter or in person. Any such complaints will receive prompt attention and insure better service thereafter.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

One year, Postpaid.....\$ 8.00
Six Months.....500
One Month.....1.00

SCHEDULE.

OF DEPARTURES AND ARRIVALS OF
MAILS.

DEPARTURE.

For Alice, Texas, daily at 6 a. m.
" Rio Grande City, Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 6 a. m.
For Point Isabel, daily at 6 a. m.
" Matamoros, Mexico, except Sunday, at 9:30 a. m.

ARRIVALS.

From Alice, Texas, daily at 10 p. m.
" Rio Grande, Tri-Weekly at 7 a. m.
" Point Isabel, daily at 6 a. m.
" Matamoros, Mexico, at 9:30 a. m.

DIRECTORY.

DISTRICT OFFICERS.

District Judge, John C. Russell
District Attorney, D. M. Turner
District Clerk, Louis Kowalski
District court commences on the first Monday in the months of Feb. and Sept. m-h-r.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

County Judge, E. C. Forto
County Attorney, Augustin Colya
County Clerk, Joseph Webb
Sheriff, S. A. Brito
Treasurer, Celestino Garza
Assessor, George Champion
Cellar, James A. Browne
Surveyor, John S. Herd
Inspector of Mines Casimiro Tania, o

COMMISSIONERS.

Precinct No. 1 - Antonio Vazquez
Precinct No. 2 - Thomas Carson
Precinct No. 3 - Narciso Cantu
Precinct No. 4 - Pablo Perez
County court meets for civil criminal and probate business on the first Monday in March, June, September and December.

CITY OFFICERS.

Mayor, Thomas Carson
Chief of Police, James H. Khan
Treasurer, Alfred Tuornham
Secretary, M. B. Kingsbury
Attorney, Frank Foulle
Surveyor, S. W. Brooks
Assessor and Collector J. A. Michel.

TO CANDIDATES.

Announcements will be published in the HERALD at the following rates: Congressional and senatorial \$15. Representative and District \$10. County officers, \$5.
Precinct officers, \$2.50.
To insure publication, candidates should always accompany their announcements with the cash.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For District Attorney.

WE ARE AUTHORIZED to announce the name of Jao, I. KLEBER as a candidate for election to the office of District Attorney of this the 28th Judicial District.

LITTLE LOCALS

Pianos and organs for sale at Mrs. Kraus's.
Mrs. Kraus is agent for Ott's Tonestones.
Remember, the HERALD office is on the corner of 12th and Levee street. Call and enroll your name.
It is reported that a heavy rain, which had two hours, fell at Point Isabel this morning, accompanied by a northern.

Several new subscribers yesterday. Putegnat has all the latest summer drinks.
Go to Botica del Leon and get an ice cream soda.

If you want a share of the trade advertise us the HERALD.

Warm weather is productive of street corner statuary.

Liberal inducements are offered by the HERALD to solicit subscribers.

We have lots of men here with money, energy and brains, but want more of the same kind.

The track of the Santa Cruz street car line is being repaired. Mesquite blocks are being put down between the rails.

Travel is much cheaper now than it formerly was on the Santa Cruz street car line, the fare having been reduced from six to three cents.

If you want refreshments that will tickle the palate you can be accommodated by calling at the International bar, Mike Leahy, the genial proprietor.

People who make their business to attend to other people's business and neglect their own business, have no business to lay claim to success in any business.

The river has risen high enough to allow the water to run into the resaca (lakes) which extend some twenty or thirty miles in the back country. This with the rains we have had, will enable farmers to put in a late crop, and should we fail to have more rain when needed, the crops would be assured by use of the water in the resaca for irrigation. The rains have already started the grass growing and as the resaca will furnish an abundance of water for stock for months to come, it is safe to say that cattle will go into winter in fine shape.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Rosa Putegnat returned to the Point this morning.

Mr. L. M. Pettipain, the dry goods merchant of Matamoros, was over at noon to-day.

Mr. Dillard, of Hidalgo, arrived on the M. and M. railroad this evening on special business.

Mr. J. J. Egan, the genial and polite railroad agent at Point Isabel, will be up tomorrow to attend divine worship.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF CAMERON.
To the creditors of Mar in G. y Gutierrez: Your are here notified that Martin G. y Gutierrez of the County of Cameron, on the 2nd day of July, A. D., 1892, executed a deed of assignment, conveying to the undersigned all of his property for the benefit of such of his creditors as will consent to accept their proportional share of his estate and discharge him from their respective claims and that the undersigned accepted said trust, and has duly qualified as required by law. All creditors consenting to said assignment must, with in four months after the publication of this notice, make known to the assignee their consent in writing, and, within six months from the date of this notice, file their claims, prescribed by law, with the undersigned, who resides at Brownsville, Texas, which is also his postoffice address.

Witness my hand this 2nd day of July A. D., 1892.
E. H. GOODRICH, Assignee.

Dates for Teachers Examinations.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, }
AUSTIN, TEXAS, May 18, '92. }
The regular Teachers' Examinations will be held on the third Friday and the following Saturday in February, April, June, August, September, and November.

Special examinations may be held on the third Friday and the following Saturday of any other month, except July, provided notice is given the State Superintendent at least two weeks before the day the said examination is to begin.

No questions for these special examinations will be sent to any county, except at the request of the county superintendent or county judge.

Most respectfully,
J. M. CARLISLE,
State Superintendent Public Instruction.

From The East.

Special.
FORT RINGGOLD, July 9, 4 p. m.
—The river at this point is falling slowly.

There has still nothing been heard from the scouting party which went out.

Major Sniffen, paymaster of the U. S. Army is here distributing some Uncle Sam's "root of all evil," to the troops, thus gladdening the hearts of our soldier boys. He will leave for Brownsville shortly, but as yet has not announced his route.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

The stock of Martin G. y Gutierrez, consisting of dry goods, etc, will be sold at public vendue, on Wednesday, July 13th, 1892, from the storehouse corner of W. shington and 12th Streets, sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M.
E. H. GOODRICH,
Assignee.

REGARDING IRRIGATION.

From Laredo Times.

The Laredo Times wants to see the day arrive when the valley of the lower Rio Grande will be irrigated all the way from Laredo to Brownsville. Irrigation has long been in vogue in the valley of the upper Rio Grande and the country there blooms like a veritable paradise. Owing to the superiority of climate, the valley of the lower Rio Grande can be made far more grand by proper irrigation, and if the Times lives a few more years its dream will undoubtedly be realized.—The Daily Caller.

The Times has had much to say upon the subject during the eleven years of its existence and means to live to see that dream, as it has many others, and the hundreds of thousands of acres of rich valley lands above and below Laredo blossom as the rose in the highest state of cultivation. As said in the above, irrigation has long been the greatest boom of the upper Rio Grande country and why it has not been inaugurated here on a general scale, is one of the things "no fellow can find out." They have the irrigating ditches there, but not water enough, while some great abundance of water is constantly going to waste for the want of ditches. We have the same character of soil with twice the depth of richness and it is unsurpassed in fertility. True, large vineyards near Laredo are prospering by means of water pumped from the river; but that is not enough; we want the Rio Grande, which has a fall of 120 feet to 30 miles, tapper above this city and a good portion of its current went through myriads of small ditches leading from one ditch, like veins in the human body, giving sustenance, prosperity, health and happiness to hundreds or thousands of people who would eagerly settle upon thousands with the advent of the irrigating system.—C. C. Daily Caller.

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Dry Goods, Staple Goods, Boots,
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All Kinds Hats, Caps, Shirts and Drawers, Notions and Family Groceries.

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Large supply of Staple and Fancy
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